

## MR. HARRISON'S TRIP

He Speaks in Praise of the New  
England Teachers.

THEY HAVE DONE A GREAT WORK

The President on Colonial Markets and the  
Markets of To-day—Everywhere He is  
Given an Enthusiastic Welcome.

WHITEHAVEN, Aug. 23.—President Harrison and party left Saratoga at 8:30 this morning on a special train. At Port Edward and Dresden the train stops were made and the President addressed the people at each place. The train stopped here a few minutes. Here was assembled a large number of union veterans, who had stopped while on the way to a reunion at Dresden. The President stood on the platform of the rear car and made them a speech, which was received with much enthusiasm. At the conclusion of his remarks the veterans struggled with one another to get the President's hand. The journey was then continued and when the state line was reached on behalf of Governor Harrison the President on

Fair Haven was reached a 10 o'clock. The President was introduced and proceeded to make a few remarks. The journey was resumed. When the train stopped at Castleton a crowd, composed of pupils of the normal school and a large number of women, greeted the President, who responded in a happy speech.

**The President at Burlington.**  
BURLINGTON, Vt., Aug. 25.—When the President arrived at Burlington he was met at the station by Senator Edmunds, E. J. Phelps, lately United States minister to England, Mr. Seward Webb and a committee of citizens. Carriages were taken and the party driven to Senator Edmunds' house, where luncheon was served. The President will go on Webb's yacht to Maquam. There the train will be met and the President will arrive in St. Albans at 6:15 this evening.

**The President Talks.**—When the train bearing the President reached Fairhaven, he made a short speech, complimenting the inhabitants of the place for their thrift and obedience to the laws. He dwelt at some length on the prosperity that must necessarily be the lot of a community whose citizens are careful to obey the laws of the country and are ready at all times to defend them. The speech was continually interrupted by applause.

At Castleton the President's short talk was on "The New England School Teacher," who, he asserted, was one of the most influential characters in the history of the United States. "They have gone from New England to all parts of the country," he said. "They have used their influence to build up the country."

to which they went and have impressed upon their people the lessons of self respect, love for free institutions and social order. Could we trace the slender thread of influence they wield to their great results, we would have a higher thought of the power and dignity of these

At Middletown, the President made another speech, in which he spoke of the great pleasure he had derived from the acquaintance of Governor Stewart. He also spoke in eulogistic terms of the Middlebury college.

laughing complaint: "I have had," he said, "some experience in the business of speaking from the end of a railroad train, but this morning it has seemed to me these Vermont towns are closer together than on any route I have yet traveled."

At St. Albans.  
ST. ALBANS, Vt., Aug. 25.—The President and party on arriving here were taken in carriages to Governor Smith's house, which was brilliantly lighted with Chinese lanterns. The whole town is decorated and 3,000 visitors are here. After dinner the President was escorted to the Weldon house, which fronts upon St. Albans park. About twelve thousand people were massed in the park, which was illuminated by 2,000 Chinese lanterns. The President was introduced to the assemblage by E. C. Smith.

The President's speech was short. After referring to the unjust trade restrictions and exactions imposed upon the colonists in early days, he said: "This battle for a market was never more general or strenuous than now."

all the nations of the world, though not pushed by bloodshed." Continuing, he said that Americans ought to send their products to foreign markets by the methods of peaceful and profitable interchange. He then referred to the probable increased grain crop of this country and the deficiencies of the crop in France, Russia, England, Germany and India, and then, again, to the world's needs.

Amount of 1-1/2 Per Cents Extended.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 25.—The amount of 1 1/2 per cent bonds continued at 2 per cent to date is \$21,338,100 and Secretary Foster said this afternoon it was his impression the amount would run over \$30,000,000 before the transaction closes. Expectations are realistic that the government will pay \$20,000,000 of principal to redemption. The secretary said there would be no difficulty in meeting this payment or a larger one if necessary. The government has \$100,000,000 gold reserve and \$17,000,000 on deposit with national banks.

**Floods in Westmoreland County, England.**  
LONDON, Aug. 25.—Heavy rains in Westmoreland county have caused the streams to overflow, flooding the surrounding country. Standing crops were washed away and cattle drowned.

**Frosts Not Bad in North Dakota.**  
FARGO, N. D., Aug. 25.—The damage done by frosts in North Dakota grows considerably less as more definite reports are received. Wheat is found to be uninjured, but garden truck suffered considerably.

**Oklahoma Farmers' Alliance.**  
OKLAHOMA CITY, Aug. 25.—The Farmers' alliance of Oklahoma has just concluded a largely attended territorial convention. The Ocala platform was unanimously adopted. They favor the building of an interstate road from Duluth to Galveston.

**The Cherokee Strip Abolish.**  
GUTHRIE, O. T., Aug. 35.—The Cherokee strip is abolish to-night in innumerable

Prairie fires were started by